

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Denes *et al.*

Title: PLASMA-ENHANCED
FUNCTIONALIZATION OF
INORGANIC OXIDE
SURFACES

Appl. No.: Unknown

Filing Date: Submitted Herewith

Examiner: Unknown

Art Unit: Unknown

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

Ferencz S. Denes
485 Togstad Glen
Madison, Wisconsin 53711

Sorin Odisei Manolache
602 Eagle Heights, Apt. I
Madison, Wisconsin 53705

Jason M. Helgren
413 Chestnut Street, Apt. 1
Madison, Wisconsin 53726

Max G. Lagally
5110 Juneau Road
Madison, Wisconsin 53705

Bradley James Larson
2130 University Avenue, Apt. 89
Madison, Wisconsin 53726

☒ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

☒ Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (30 pages).

☒ Formal drawings (8 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9).

☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

The filing fee is calculated below:

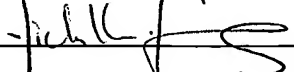
	Claims as Filed		Included in Basic Fee		Extra Claims		Rate		Fee Totals
Basic Fee							\$770.00	=	\$770.00
Total	33	-	20	=	13	x	\$18.00	=	\$234.00
Claims:									
Independents	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
:									
If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present:					+		\$290.00	=	\$0.00
Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for late filing of					+		\$130.00	=	\$130.00
Executed Declaration and late payment of filing fee									
							SUBTOTAL:	=	\$1134.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>							Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	=	\$567.00
							TOTAL FILING FEE:	=	\$567.00

☒ The required filing fees are not enclosed but will be submitted in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date March 24, 2004

By 

FOLEY & LARDNER LLP
Customer Number: 23524
Telephone: (608) 258-4305
Facsimile: (608) 258-4258

Michelle Manning
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 50,592

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Ferencz S. Denes *et al.*

Filed: Submitted Herewith

Title: **PLASMA-ENHANCED FUNCTIONALIZATION OF INORGANIC
OXIDE SURFACES**

Docket No.: 032026:0772

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

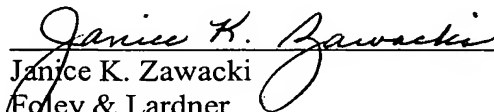
"Express Mail" Mailing Label No.: EV 246427728 US
Date of Deposit: March 24, 2004

I hereby certify that these attached documents

- * Utility Patent Application Transmittal (2 pages)
- * Utility Patent Application (30 pages: Specification, 25 pages; Claims, 4 pages; Abstract, 1 page)
- * Eight (8) Sheets of Formal Drawings
- * Application Data Sheet (5 pages)
- * Return Postcard

are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Enclosed for filing please find the above-referenced documents. Please indicate receipt of these documents by returning the attached postcard with the official Patent and Trademark Office receipt stamped thereon.



Janice K. Zawacki
Foley & Lardner
P. O. Box 1497
Madison, Wisconsin 53701-1497
(608) 257-5035